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PURSUANT to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by "The Land Titles Act" under a certain Mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction at the Post Office in the Village of Oyen, in the Province of Alberta, on Saturday the 20th day of September 1924, at the house of J. O'Brien, in the afternoon, the following property, namely:

The West half of Section Fifteen (15), in Township Twenty-seven (27) and Range Three (3), West of the Fourth Meridian in Alberta, reserving to the Crown all mines and minerals.

TERMS OF SALE to be twenty per cent cash at the time of the sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitors.

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Thomas Lee,

Oyen, Alberta.

Dated at Calgary in the Province of Alberta, the 28th day of July A.D. 1924.

Approved: W. FORBES,

REGISTRAR.

NOTICE

In the Estate of Fred Manning Bliss, late of Oyen, Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named Fred Manning Bliss, who died on the 11th day of April A.D. 1914, are required to file with the undersigned, by the 15th day of October 1924, a full statement fully verified of their claims, and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed, or which have been brought to his knowledge.

Dated the 28th day of August 1924.
F. C. Bliss,
Administrator of the Estate of the above named Fred Manning Bliss.

Subscribe to the Saturday Evening Post, Ladies Home Journal, Good Housekeeping or Maclean's at the News Office.

For Typewriter ribbons, carbon paper and official envelopes, call at the office of the Oyen News.

Say you saw it in the News.

Seed Grain and Relief

The Dominion Government evidently does not contemplate providing settlers in the dry areas of Alberta with seed grain and relief. In a telegram received by Hon. George Hood, Minister of Agriculture, from Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior at Ottawa, Mr. Stewart states that the dispatch published in Alberta papers a few days ago to the effect that the Dominion Government would bear a share of the cost of seed grain and relief for settlers in the drought areas, was in error, and that the only decision made by the government at Ottawa, was to bear one third of the cost of removal of settlers from those areas to other parts of the province.

New Alberta Judge

Consequent upon the death of Chief Justice Scott, of the Alberta Supreme Court, Chief Justice Harvey has been created Chief Justice of the Province and Justice Simmons has been created Chief Justice of the Trial Division. Hon. J. R. Boyle, leader of the opposition in the Alberta Legislature, has been made a Justice of the Trial Division.

Alberta Butter for Great Britain and Orient

More Alberta creamery butter than ever before is going to the British and Oriental markets this season. Already shipments to these markets have been very heavy. The British market has been very receptive and more than twice as much Alberta butter will go there this year as went in 1923, when more than 20,000 cases were shipped to Britain. The shipments to Japan and China this year have also been heavy.

Honey in Alberta

Between 35,000 and 50,000 lbs. of honey in his first year in the bee business in Southern Alberta is the record which George Reidel expects to set up this year from his 300 colonies of bees in six apiaries throughout the Condale irrigated district. Mr. Reidel claims that Southern Alberta is one of the finest bee districts in the world.

Local Chiropractor Pays Fine

On a charge of practicing without a license, G. Bach, local Chiropractor, appeared before W. T. England, J.P., yesterday afternoon, and paid a fine of \$50.00 and costs. Mr. Bach informed the court that he had sent money in payment of a license to the Minister of Health, at the end of April and had a receipt for same. He also said he since written to the minister regarding his license, but had failed to get any satisfactory reply.

Mr. J. J. Kelly, who represented Oyen Board of Trade, on the delegation that met the Alberta Cabinet last Friday, in connection with the "On To The Bay" movement, returned to Oyen last Monday.

FRUIT SEASON
IS NOW ON

We are advised that the Preserving Season this year will be short and will be practically over the first week in September and that higher prices may be looked for. Two shipments to arrive this week.

Bartlett Pears. Green and Ripe Tomatoes
Transcendent Crapapples. Wealthy Apples
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POOL ESTIMATES WHEAT YIELD AT 265,000,000 BUS.

Regina. — The Inter-Provincial Wheat Pool Selling Agency estimates the total wheat crop of the three prairie provinces at 265,000,000 bushels.

This is approximately one hundred million bushels less than the estimate recently published by a Winnipeg newspaper, according to A. McPhail, President of the Selling Agency and one of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool.

Condemning exaggerated crop estimates as "misleading and detrimental to the farmers," Mr. McPhail said that the Winnipeg newspaper report in question resulted in a drop of 38 cents in the price of wheat on the market immediately after it had appeared.

"The report is misleading," said Mr. McPhail, "because it is based on the supposed average sown to wheat, and takes no account of the fact that hundreds of thousands of acres have since been plowed under."

The inter-provincial wheat pool selling agency estimates the yield in Saskatchewan will be 150,000,000 bushels at the outside, with 75,000,000 or 75,000,000 bushels in Alberta and 35,000,000 to 40,000,000 bushels in Manitoba. This estimate of 265,000,000 bushels for the three provinces is based on reports received from 86,000 farmers reporting on their own districts.

Bordeaux Jail Investigation

Discover Plot to Liberate Four Men Under Sentence of Death

Montreal. — Liberation of four men held up at four of the six banks who held up the Hochelaga Bank collection in April, 1935, and killed \$125,238 and killed its chauffeur, Henri Cléroux, was the real aim of the plot which was smashed when Guiseppe Serafini was detected making plans to set out of the prison early Monday morning. Ramifications of the plot have been held back by the investigation ordered by the province government. Reliable information is to the effect that had the getaway plans succeeded, Louis Morel, in Oak-Grange, and Leo Doyle would have followed Serafini to freedom from death row, where they are awaiting execution October 28.

Morel and Doyle, who were arrested in adjoining cells of one wing of the prison. Tony Frank and Mike Valente are in another wing.

Treaty of Lausanne

France is Fourth Power to Ratify the Treaty

Paris. — The French Senate has ratified the Treaty of Lausanne, re-establishing peace in the Near East, with only twenty negative votes. The chamber had voted ratification on Monday.

France is the fourth power to ratify the treaty, which became effective August 6 on its third ratification. Great Britain, Italy and the United States have already voted their adherence.

To Placid Case Alone

Victoria, B.C. — Premier Oliver said he was not accompanied by Government counsel when he attends the sitting of the Board of Railway Commissioners in Ottawa on September 17. He stated today he saw no need for legal assistance when the board takes up complaints against the restoration of the Crown's Nest Pass agreement freight rates.

Unemployment in Great Britain London. — Unemployment in Great Britain has been slowly growing worse in the past six weeks, and last week the number of people out of work had increased by thirty thousand over the number of the last week.

The total number of unemployed at present is estimated at 1,125,000.

Trade With Germany Grows

Ottawa. — Canada imported goods from Germany in the value of \$6,681,460 during the year ended July 31, 1935, an increase of seven per cent over the amount of the previous year. Canadian exports to Germany during the twelve months were \$7,941,000, an increase of seven per cent over the year previous.

To Probe Liquor Exporting

Windsor, Ont. — A thorough probe into the liquor export business along the Essex border will be instituted shortly by the Government, it was learned here. More stringent regulations are in prospect which will make the export business less profitable than it is at present.

British troops number 157,490, of whom 109,773 are in India. This does not include 14,500 in Japan.

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Will Learn Fate Soon

Chicago Youth to Receive Sentence On September 10

Chicago. — After perils of the closing argument of Robert E. Crowe, State Attorney, had been stricken out by Judge John R. Cavert, a cowardly, dastardly attack upon the integrity of this court and an attempt to intimidate it, the court took action to adjourn the trial until the next day, to be held for Nathan Leopold, Jr., and Richard Loeb, confessed kidnapers and murderers of Robert Frank.

The remarks of the court came out of a clear sky and startled the crowded court room into a shocked silence. Mr. Crowe's jaw dropped, and he blanched visibly under the judicial brooding. "Your honor, I had," he began, but the judge interrupted him.

"The State's Attorney knew full well that his remarks would be heretofore and yonder," said the court. "I know, too, the court would have no opportunity to reply or defend himself from criticism except by the action he has taken."

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MacLaren Willing To Make Another Trial

Will Attempt World Flight If U.S. Succeeds

Edmonton. — "If the Americans do not succeed, I'll tackle it again next year," said MacLaren. A. MacLaren, British flying ace, concerning possibilities of another attempt at a round-the-world flight. Major MacLaren was in Edmonton enroute from Vancouver to Winnipeg, and stopped off the train to look around a bit.

"What do you think of the 'Hudson's Bay' route?" he asked. "I think it's a good chance of getting through," the correspondent queried in the course of a brief interview with the noted aviator.

"I believe they stand a good chance of completing the flight," he replied. "Of course, they have a number of obstacles still to overcome, and the rest of the journey won't be getting smooth sailing. But they are getting more co-operation from the United States navy, and with decent luck they ought to make it."

Will Defer Action

Board of Grain Commissioners Consider Changes in Tariff Regulations

Winnipeg. — Board of Grain Commissioners were in private session here, today, considering proposed changes in the tariff regulations raised by representatives of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Wheat Producers' Union.

It is thought likely that the board will defer action on the suggestions until the completion of the Great Grain Inquiry Commission has been laid before the Government. Members of the commission have left for the east.

Report Fewer Drug Addicts in Canada

Noticeable Improvement Especially in B.C. Says Health Department

Ottawa. — Reports to the Health Department indicate that drug addicts, taking the country generally, are on the decline, and that there has been a noticeable improvement in British Columbia. Stories that addicts are not infrequent in the secondary schools of British Columbia are doubted.

There may be an isolated case here and there, it is stated, not advanced far enough to have been brought to the attention of parents or teachers, but such cases would be very unusual.

New Canadian Industry

Ottawa. — For the first time in Canada, copper wire has been domestic copper have been rolled within the past few weeks by the Consolidated Wire and Cable Company. Advice received by the Government from this firm state that seventy-eight tons were recently shipped. It is the first roll of wire made in Canada since the last session of legislation.

Death of E. J. Chamberlain

Ottawa. — E. J. Chamberlain, aged 72, recognized as one of the most competent and successful rail men in the Dominion and one of the foremost operating experts on the continent, died recently at Pasadena, Calif. He was a resident of the city.

Interment will be made at St. Albans, Vermont.

Compulsory Wheat Pool For Australia

Melbourne. — Announcement of the Government of Victoria's proposal to set up a compulsory wheat pool was made by Premier G. M. Prendergast, at the opening of the Victoria legislative assembly. The Premier also announced that the Government proposed to establish an agricultural bank.

United States Is Invited To Disarmament Conference

Geneva. — The League of Nations has extended an official invitation to the United States Government to send an official representative to participate in the deliberations of the disarmament conference, which will be opened by the league assembly. This initiative, which is unique, is the outgrowth of United States participation in the league's preliminary study to elaborate a convention for international control of the traffic in arms.

Alberta's Dairy Pool

Vigorous Campaign Will Be Carried On Throughout Harvest Season

Calgary. — All documents for the formation of the Alberta Co-operative Dairy Pool are now in the hands of Attorney-General Brownlee, who met the investigating committee of the provincial board in Banff.

Throughout the harvest season a vigorous campaign of information concerning the advantages and workings of the pool will be maintained, and about November 1 a definite drive for the signing of contracts will be launched.

H. B. ROAD MUST BE COMPLETED SAYS MINISTER

The Pas, Man. — "The Hudson's Bay Railway is not a political football. It has been the policy of the Liberal Government ever since the time of the late Mr. Laurier that this route should be developed primarily for the benefit of all Canada, neither for the east nor the west, and neither for the north nor the south. It is a national enterprise, and it is the duty of the Government to see that it is built and operated for the benefit of all Canadians."

"Now, the way has been over five years, and I believe Canada is now capable, financially, of going ahead and completing the Hudson's Bay Railway. The Panama Canal route has always been known to be a 'hot route' for wheat and cattle, but it has been made a success. There appears to be no reason why the Hudson's Bay route through Hudson's Bay should not be a similar success."

"The Hudson's Bay route is a national enterprise in more or less a gamble, and the Hudson's Bay Railway should present no more element of doubt to our minds than was the building of the C.P.R. I am going over the road with an open mind. I believe, to be sufficient to warrant the completion of the road as a paying branch of the C.N.R."

"There are two kinds of opposition to the road. First, those opposed to the expenditure of \$75,000,000 in money; second, the fear of great financial loss to established eastern industry. I believe the road will be completed through the efforts of the western pioneers. I do not know of any certain way of demonstrating the practicability of the Hudson's Bay route except by trying it. The question arises, will the risk warrant the experiment?"

"I believe the risk is worth the experiment. The Hudson's Bay route is to get first-hand information."

Favorable Trade Balance

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Ottawa. — Canada's so-called balance of trade with the United States is becoming more favorable to the Dominion. In the twelve months ended July, imports from the United States exceeded Canadian exports to the United States by \$142,088,000.

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Seaplanes On Guard

Powerful Planes Will Patrol Coast of Britain

London. — Great Britain's coast line will, in the near future, be patrolled and guarded by powerful seaplanes, now under construction for the navy. Each will carry a pilot, navigator, two machine gunners and a torpedo for launching.

Still more powerful planes are being built to make longer flights seaward and these will carry five men each.

Egyptian Prisoners Sentenced

Khartoum. — A court martial, composed entirely of Egyptian and Sudanese, has sentenced three ring-leaders in the disturbances which occurred recently at Khartoum, to two years imprisonment. Two other prisoners were sentenced to one year's imprisonment.

Kinderley Crew Is Safe

Vancouver. — Everyone is safe and comfortable on board the Hudson's Bay schooner, Lady Kinderley, according to a wireless message received by the company. The ship is still locked in the ice ten miles from Tangent Point, east of Point Barrow.

Appoints New Ambassadors

Plymouth, Vt. — Appointment of Edgar A. Bancroft, of Chicago, as ambassador to Japan, and of James Rockwell, of New York City, as ambassador to Mexico, is announced by President Coolidge.

A Distinguished Visitor

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Greater Co-operation Needed

President of Manufacturers' Association Makes Plea for Harmony Between All Classes

Toronto. — Greater co-operation between farmer, handicraft and industrial Canada was advocated by Col. A. H. Hatch, President of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, speaking at the exhibition luncheon here.

"Why cannot the problem of building up Canada be solved by co-operation and compromise?" Colonel Hatch asked. "Our chief national problem is to utilize the raw materials from the west, and to give the greatest possible amount of employment to Canadians, and this can be done by manufacturing to the limit of our ability all these raw materials that we now export. We must get to the policy of co-operation among all classes for the constructive development of this country."

Crop Prospects Improve

Yield of 200,000,000 Bushels Expected

Montreal. — The wheat crop prospects in the United States are improving. "The wheat's wheat crop is now about 275,000,000 bushels this year," said Sir Henry Thornton, President of the National Farmers' Union, when he returned to his city after a five weeks' inspection tour that carried him to the Pacific coast.

"These are not merely and are not have been represented to the people earlier in the season," said Sir Henry. "Three weeks ago I said the crop was about 275,000,000 bushels. From later reports that I received I think the harvest will reach certainly 280,000,000 bushels, that in the last few days of which I have received no information."

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Will Affect Aviation Workers

Paris. — The adoption of the new plan, with the consequent inauguration of the Franco-Belgian economic evacuation of the Ruhr, and the re-employment of the Ruhr and Belgian railways to the Germans, will affect 169,876 civilian workers. Of this number, 85,293 are German railwaymen, 18,295 are French civilians of various classes, 2,963 are Belgians and 281 are auxiliary railway workers of various nationalities.

Railway Rate Protest

Saskatoon. — The protest of Saskatchewan will join with Edmonton in its application to the board of railway commissioners for the removal of the discrimination in freight rates existing against the northern parts of the province of Saskatchewan and Alberta in relation to the rate of the C.P.R. The protest is now in operation. It was decided here.

World Hold Off Increase In Cargo Rates On Grain

Edmonton. — A request is being made by the Alberta Government that the Ottawa authorities take steps to hold off the increase of cargo rates on grain by the Vancouver Harbor Board until a thorough investigation and a hearing at which all interests involved may be represented. Premier Greenfield has sent a wire to Hon. Mackenzie King and the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, in which he asks that they take this action in accordance with previous understandings in the matter.

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Strange Epidemic In Japan

New Disease Is Responsible For Heavy Toll of Life

Tokyo. — Several of the most eminent physicians have left hurriedly for the western provinces, where a new epidemic, resembling poliomyelitis, is reported to be raging, causing nearly 900 deaths in recent weeks.

The local physicians call it narcoleptic meningitis. The victims undergo a peculiar syndrome of spinal meningitis, and then fall into a comatose state, remaining so until death, the mortality is at the rate of 60 per cent.

Japanese physicians say that the cause of the disease is not known. Every summer a few cases have been reported in the western provinces, but they are not epidemic in nature.

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MEN WHO GUIDE DESTINY OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE

Forer, Scotland. — Ramsay MacDonald, the British Prime Minister, in a speech here alluded to the heavy responsibilities of the people governing the extraordinary federation of self-governing nations comprising the British Empire.

Mr. MacDonald said they sometimes and the feeling that human wisdom and strength were unequal to the task of enduring them. "And yet," Mr. MacDonald added, "there is something in the idea of strengthening it all that the work can be done. The work itself makes us success almost inevitable."

The Premier referred to the recent review of the British fleet off Spithead. He remarked that many who viewed it through the eyes of the battle fleet a very short one.

"That shortening was a great achievement," Mr. MacDonald declared. "Great Britain signed the compact of Washington, and Great Britain always shall, and must, carry out that compact and honor its signature."

Remembering that he was going to Germany, Mr. MacDonald said that he was to go on with this process of disarmament, but that he would not do it alone. It must be mutual, with common consent. The other nations must be along with us. In London recently we managed — I do not want to exaggerate it — to do a bit of a beginning toward bettering things."

"So long as I hold the position I now occupy, all my energies will be directed toward making the beginning something in further efforts and further steps."

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A River Of Golden Grain Flowing From The Farms Of The Prairie Provinces

A never-ending stream of gold, flowing from the farms of the Prairie Provinces to the consumers of bread stuffs in all parts of the civilized world, is represented by the massed ranks of the farmers' grain to the world markets. Beginning in August each year and in some years flowing constantly forward until August of the following year, this elevating river of wheat is Western Canada's contribution to the feeding of the civilized world. In the movement of this crop from the country elevators and loading platforms of the Prairie Provinces the Canadian National Railways year by year are playing a more important part.

Long before the western farmer has finished his seedling in the spring, preparations have been begun by the railways to move his crop. Cars must be ordered, for each year more equipment is needed for the movement of the grain; other cars, which have been in service, must be brought into the repair yards and overhauled or rebuilt according to their needs, for the movement of grain is a strenuous work and grain cars show the effects of a season's haulage. And, since cars could not move forward without motive power, new locomotives of immense hauling power are necessary and must be ordered, while those which have already seen service in this strenuous work must also be brought in to the huge repair shops and overhauled and made ready.

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that once loaded, they move forward rapidly to the lake or ocean port from which further shipment is to take place.

During the grain rush each rail line has its own special difficulties. Each Car Service Division faces the task of moving these empties back from the lake or ocean ports, to line elevators at the lowest possible cost and it is only by wise and careful scrutiny of the situation that it is possible for this work to be successfully carried out.

An elaborate system of tabulating the grain situation daily is operated by officials of this department. Each day through the press there appear reports on the grain movement, both on lines through the west and at the head of the lakes where ships are fast loading from terminal elevators as cars discharge their cargoes.

To make this possible, agents of the

Natural Resources Bulletin

Immense Quantities of Sand and Gravel Used in Canada
The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa, 1923.

One of Canada's most important economic mineral resources, from the standpoint of utility, is that of sand and gravel. While not of great monetary value, compared with other mineral products, it is one of the classes of non-metallic minerals that it would be exceedingly difficult to get along without.

It is not necessary here to detail the great number of purposes for which sand and gravel are used. The movement for the provision of better roads is based entirely upon supplies of sand and gravel, while the use of concrete would be very materially restricted were it not that when mixed with sand and gravel, concrete can be made at reasonable cost.

The railways are largely dependent upon sand and gravel for ballasting their tracks, while no railway locomotive would be allowed to leave a station without a supply of sand for friction purposes.

In some portions of Canada gravel is not readily procurable, and consequently is more greatly appreciated than in those portions where it is more plentiful. This is particularly true in some sections of the prairie provinces, where both sand and gravel for construction purposes have to be brought considerable distances.

There are several varieties of sand in Canada, varying in fineness and in composition. In certain portions of Canada a sand suitable for glass making is found, while in others a sand useful for moulding purposes is found. The larger portion of the output of sand and gravel, however, is used for construction work, and it is in this form that the public is most familiar with this necessary material.

Prince's Stock Winners

Captures Gold Medal Offered By British Association of London

King of the Fairies, a white Short-horn bull, bred on the farm of H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, in Brompton, and brought to his Alberta ranch as a three-year-old, has been awarded the gold medal offered by the British Association of London for the best bull shown in Western Canada by a Canadian exhibitor. The award was made in Regina recently.

This bull has been granted champion wherever he has been shown and is the principal stock bull at the ranch. The ranch was also awarded reserve champion on a red yearling Short-horn bull, which was also bred in the Old Country by the Prince of Wales and brought here last year as a calf.

In addition to an exhibit of twelve Short-horn cattle, the Prince of Wales ranch entered twelve Shropshire sheep and twelve Hampshire sheep, capturing the championship for ewes and rams in the Hampshire class and championship ewe in the Shropshire class. The E. P. Ranch, owned by the Prince of Wales, is about 30 miles from High River and about 60 miles from Calgary. It covers about 6,000 acres.

Some Chinese cities have streets that are only three feet wide.

Western Canada Corn Is Said To Be Better Grade Than That Produced In South

Butter Production In 1923

Production of Creamery Butter in 1923 Exceeded Any Previous Year

The quantity of creamery butter made in Canada in 1923 was 185,456,759 pounds, valued at \$15,584,000, an increase in quantity over the preceding year of 10,524,459 pounds, or average per cent, and an increase in value of \$2,440,726, or six per cent. The average price per pound for the whole of Canada was 21 cents in 1923 compared with 20 cents in 1922. The production of creamery butter in 1923 exceeds in quantity the production of any previous year and is exceeded in value only by that of 1920 when the average price per pound was 57 cents. The production of Quebec was the leader in the production of creamery butter last year with 60,179,918 pounds, followed by Ontario with 51,773,130 pounds; Alberta third with 17,625,155; then Saskatchewan, 10,847,910; Manitoba, 10,759,060; Nova Scotia, 2,529,665; British Columbia, 2,361,164; Prince Edward Island, 1,237,437; and New Brunswick, 1,231,471.

The total output of the creameries, cheese factories, combined butter and cheese factories and condensaries, in 1923, was valued at \$19,110,562, an increase over 1922 of \$15,138,516. Compared in the total output are butter, cheese, cream, whole milk and cream sold, buttermilk, etc.

A Commendable Work

Tablet Is Erected At Fort Livingstone, Saskatchewan

The erection of a tablet at Ft. Livingstone, Saskatchewan, a short time ago, attracted little attention in the province. The fact that Ft. Livingstone was the headquarters of the Northwest Territories (1876-7) and that the first session of the Northwest Council was held there was probably the reason why it was not considered to be the "oldtimers." The generation is growing up which needs to be instructed in the early history of the province, and for that reason the action of the Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada in setting apart of Ft. Livingstone as a site embracing nine hundred and sixty acres with a view to the creation of a national historic park is to be heartily commended. The site of Ft. Livingstone is only one of twenty-one historic sites that have already been marked by the board and of the one hundred and twenty-six sites that have been adopted worthy of preservation.—Regina Leader.

A New Product

Cocoa Bread Retains Freshness Longer Than Ordinary Bread

Something new in bread is announced by the United States Department of Agriculture. It is cocoa bread, has a decided flavor of cocoa, and retains its freshness longer than ordinary bread. The product was achieved by substituting eight to ten per cent of the flour by any kind of bread formula with cocoa and omitting shortening, which is supplied by the cocoa. An equal amount of sugar and cocoa is used. The bread is not sticky.

Tourist Trade Booming

That tourist trade has been booming, especially at Jasper Park and Minkit, was the statement made by Walter Pratt, general manager of hotels and dining cars for the Canadian National Railway, during his recent tour of inspection of the system's hotels. Mr. Pratt said the new 18-hole golf course at Minkit would be ready for play next year, and he hoped also that nine of the 18-hole course at Jasper would be available for use when the 1925 tourist season opens.

Southern Alberta Honey

Between 25,000 and 30,000 pounds of honey in his first year in the bee business in Southern Alberta is the record which George H. Reid expects to set up this year from his 200 colonies of bees in six apiaries throughout the Coadvale Irrigated district. Mr. Reid claims that Southern Alberta is one of the finest bee districts in the world, and certainly the best in Canada.

Canadian Honey For Export

According to C. O. Gooderham, Dominion Apiarist, a conservative estimate of Canadian honey available for export this year places the quantity at 6,000,000 pounds. This will have the effect of stabilizing the price of the commodity in the home market, says Mr. Gooderham.

Expect Big Crop

Western Manitoba this year will harvest its largest crop since 1915, in the opinion of Premier Bracken, who returned recently after travelling 1,000 miles through part of the province.

According to press dispatches samples of Canadian corn were in the hands of some of the grain exporters of Vancouver recently, not as a line of corn from Illinois. When United States corn goes too high for this market the practice has been to balance the trade by importing it from Manitoba, but local grain men stated recently that if the area of Canadian corn in corn continues to expand annually as it has done in the past ten years there will be little necessity in a few years for Canada to go outside for corn.

Since 1915 the acreage devoted to corn in Western Canada has increased 1819 per cent, and the production by 3409 per cent. It is estimated that 169,000 acres in Alberta and a similar area in Saskatchewan have been planted in corn this year, which will result in an increase of about 50 per cent. over last year.

Manitoba's expansion is slower, but an increase of about 25 per cent. is estimated in the province. In the year ending May, 1924, Canada imported for consumption 9,262,000 bushels of corn from the United States compared with more than 10,000,000 bushels the year before and about 15,000,000 bushels in the year ending May, 1923.

This shows that Canada is gradually becoming more self-sustaining in the matter of farm products. In 1923 the three western prairie provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba produced corn crops amounting to 751,309 tons valued at \$5,500,000.

As corn appears to grow well in Alberta, Vancouver grain dealers are particularly interested in the prophecy that Western Canada will ship corn through that port soon.

Cattle and livestock dealers are also interested as they claim that an increase in corn production in Canada will mean the possibility of corn-fed hogs for the world markets.

New Kinds Of Wheat

Rust-Resisting Types Expected To Revolutionize Wheat Growing

If experiments which are now being conducted on 50 farms in the west from samples sent from the seed bank at Ottawa, prove successful there will be two new kinds of wheat maturing early enough to escape the rust season. It is hoped to revolutionize wheat growing. The preliminary advice which have been received indicate healthy and favorable prospects.

The new brands, which have been the subject of long experimentation at the Central Farm, are known as Rex and Garnet. The former is an exceptionally good quality wheat which matures fully a year earlier than Marquis. Hereafter it has been known as Rex, which, while resisting rust, would otherwise be up to the standard of quality. In the new brands now being experimented with there is no, only exceptionally early growth, but the quality is described as superior. Some of the samples went to areas where the crops are very poor, thus sent to the more fortunate districts are very promising, according to reports received at Ottawa.

To Come Back Later

Lord Beaverbrook, British publisher, who has been visiting the Dominion, is intimated at Toronto that it was his intention to return and make Canada his home again at some future date.

Lord Beaverbrook Is a Native

Of New Brunswick, and Sir Max Aitken, before being elevated to a peerage.

New Hospital Districts

New rural municipal hospital districts continue to be organized in Alberta. The latest is at Westlock, northwest of Edmonton. There are now 15 of these hospital districts operating in the province, and serving a total population of 125,000, or about one-third of the rural population of the province.

The Japanese Government has decided to pay to the United States the expenses of Japanese fugitives who emigrate to Brazil, and to make a grant to each of two hundred yen or one hundred dollars.

Twelve hundred dollars in cash and bank checks showing deposits of more than \$25,000 were found on a truffle who had been arrested in Redding, Calif., for burgling.

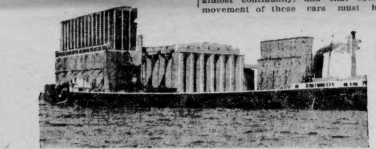
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Lake Carrier Loading at Terminal

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Weeks before the crop itself begins to move, there is another movement under way which has an important bearing on the steady flow of grain to the markets of the world, and this is the gradual concentration of locomotives and grain cars at strategic points on the western lines, so that they will be available for rapid distribution wherever they are needed.

So, as the season approaches for the haul of the harvest to the prairie, everything is being prepared for the rush of the harvest work. Constant vigilance is kept, as in every other great movement, is the price of safety and nothing is left undone to ensure that the movement forward shall be rapid, even, and unhampered. An important department, whose work is little seen outside of railway circles, is the Car Service Department, whose eyes are watching night and day to see that grain cars are properly distributed and

Increase in Cattle Exports

For the first six months of the present year Canada has exported 32,179 cattle to Great Britain and 40,952 to the United States, as compared with 20,923 to Great Britain and 22,659 to the United States in the first six months of 1922, an increase of 11,951 head in favor of the present year.

Nightmare Land

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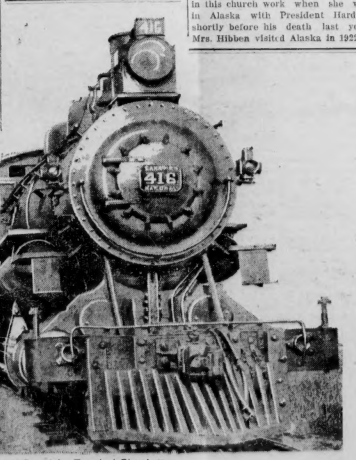
The British Empire covers 12,000,000 square miles.

Interested in Mission Boat

Mrs. Harding Will Help Equip Ship For Church Work in Alaska

Mrs. Florence King Harding, widow of President Harding, and Mrs. John G. Hibben, wife of the President of Princeton University, have guaranteed \$20,000 to build and equip a powerboat for church work in Southeastern Alaska. It is announced by Dr. S. Hall Young, Superintendent of Presbyterian missions in Alaska, that the ship will cost \$40,000, and Dr. Young will raise the rest of the amount. His first mission vessel was destroyed by fire.

Mrs. Harding became interested in this church work when she was in Alaska with President Harding shortly before his death last year. Mrs. Hibben visited Alaska in 1922.



Canadian National Train of Wheat Bound for Terminal Elevators

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NEVER FIRE FIRST

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very bad after this one, boss," he heard.

The voice was Klopke's, and the conversational tone, which carried through the frosty atmosphere, indicated that the interpreter and the factor stood together.

"The red-coat killed her firing at me, you can see that and swear to it, can't you?" Karmark demanded.

"But no, Monsieur Karmark," came from the native, "you must go back. It was your bullet that lay her to rest."

An impression sprang from the factor's lips, but he could not get the listening sergeant, who was now filled with rejoicing, to believe that he had hit her.

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Certainly, the native was greatly disturbed by what had just happened. To throw himself on the mercy of the natives, Klopke's Eskimo's money would be a waste. In the moment of the breeze man's crossing, the sergeant had urged this out and come to a decision.

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The native stooped for any length of time of the head wound. Seymour's eyes opened, his lips moved in a whisper.

"Stand by my gun," he said, "tell Karmark I'm dead, and he'll go on with him."

Klopke assented with a wink and quickly straightened. Karmark heard him pass out. "Come here," he called to his employer. "Come here."

"Not so bad," came the unfeeling response from the factor. "That's what he gets for edging into my affairs. Come here, you."

The sergeant heard the native shout back and then caught the confused instructions of a hard-pressed fugitive who could not afford to lose his head in such an emergency.

"I must make up with my dog," said Karmark. "Take the girl back to the Arctic on her sled. Tell her to make up any story you like; you'd do that anyway. I'll be where they never get me."

"What do you wish?" Klopke asked, pointing toward Seymour.

"The dog—let the girl go with him. Five minutes or so after Karmark's 'dash—dash out' the red man's continued flight, Klopke again was at the side of the fugitive.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Major Robert Edward Tucker, for 49 years a member of the Northwest Mounted, Calgary, Edmonton and Mackay Creek, died at Victoria at the age of 60.

A flight from Bristol to New York in less than 20 hours is being planned at Paris. It will be undertaken in a May. The trip will be made in the type of plane used by Lt. Pelletier D'Ambo, hero of the Paris-Tokyo flight.

In the province of President Cuygrave, and a large body of troops, General Duffy unveiled a Celtic Cross which had been erected at the foot of the hill where Michael Collins was shot and killed in 1922.

Joseph Dyk, a Winnipeg barrister, has been commissioned by the Federal Government to visit Poland to investigate the possibility of bringing to Western Canada for settlement, Polish families with some means.

A bomb exploded in the courtyard of an apartment house in the Rue Marceau, Paris, France, injuring one woman whose face was cut by broken glass, and causing considerable damage to the building.

In order that the total attendance at the exhibition be increased, the French Government has decided to reduce the admission fee to a shilling, beginning September 1.

"Last year \$2,170,000 of outstanding foreign debts due to Canada was collected through our office in London, and this year we hope to collect more than \$4,000,000," said Mr. P. C. Larkin, Canadian High Commissioner to Great Britain.

The first car of 1924 which was to be shipped was moved Aug. 25 from Altona, consigned to Keweenaw, Ont., was a first-class sample of Buick, weighing 61 pounds to the bushel and grading No. 1 Northern.

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Plan To Prevent War

League of Nations Committee Draws Up Outline of New Scheme

In view of the general repudiation of the draft pact for mutual assistance, the disarmament section of the League of Nations has drawn up an outline of a new tentative project, which provides for any number of the League may call the attention of the Council to the existence of danger of war in some designated region, whereupon the Council will meet for an immediate investigation.

If the Council finds that danger actually exists, it will then call the affected countries to withdraw their armies 50 or 100 miles from the frontier, to order the stoppage of all aviation, to cease all war preparations, and mutually to agree to submit the question in dispute to the World Court of Justice or some arbitration tribunal.

Any nation refusing to submit such dispute will be regarded as an aggressor nation and the other world powers against the pact will be prepared to mobilize against the offender.

Disarmament and security will be the two great subjects of debate in the forthcoming assembly.

Checked for Air. Some little trouble has been caused to the aeronautical engineers, others gather, and the aerial world this year is unusually quiet. It offers quite quick and positive relief as Dr. J. D. Kellogg's asthma, which has been the cause of his absence from the flying world, is now being treated by a new method of treatment, which is said to be very effective.

Will Study Swamp Fever

New Research Laboratory Opened by University of Saskatchewan

A new research laboratory which will develop primarily to the study of swamp fever, but which will study all the principal diseases to which domestic animals are subject, has just been opened by the University of Saskatchewan, by Seymour Halwen, D.V.M., in charge, President W. C. Rutherford has announced.

The new building is a large one, with a stable attached, located near the power house at the University Swamp. It has been built by a heavy toll from farmers of the three prairie provinces ever since the first settlers began to bring the horses from the east, and the outbreak of this year is unusually severe, the university and the province sustaining a heavy loss in the death of horses.

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The Apple As A Food Factor

One of the Objects of Beauty and Health Prescriptions

The apple holds first place as fruit food with the Canadian people. The state, the chemical qualities and the low cost all recommend the apple. Those best informed agree that the apple is a very beneficial food to eat, in that it tends to promote a very vigorous digestion. It is well to remember, however, that as apples should never be eaten either in the unripe or the over-ripe condition. The green apple will keep for a long time, and it is always well to peel the apple before eating, or at least to wash it well.

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Triumph Of British Engineers

Completed Aerial Railway After German Contractors Had Given Up

There are many stories of achievement in railway engineering, but few will surpass in interest the story of an aerial railway nearly as long as from London to Brighton and in places two miles above sea level. That this wonderful enterprise was carried out by British engineers, after the German contractors who first undertook the task had given it up in despair, is but one of the plaudits points in the story.

In an absorbing narrative we are told how the opposition and threats of the native packers were overcome, how one of the great coffee-growing districts of the Republic of Colombia was developed, and how the Andes were conquered in spite of falling mountain sides and obstacles reminiscent of the most adventurous explorations.

The outbreak of war while work was in full swing, delayed operations and increased difficulties, and the hard work of the native forces was utilized in many cases instead of steel.

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About Town and Country

Under the auspices of Oyen Golf Club, a whist drive will be given in Oyen Theatre on Thursday, September 3, commencing at 8 p.m.

A whist drive and old time dance will be held in the Masonic Hall on Tuesday, September 16, under the auspices of Oyen W.I.

Mrs. L. Uglund will hold a Military Opening at Guthrie's Store on Friday and Saturday, September 12 and 13. The latest in New York and Montreal models will be on display.

Rev. E. B. and Mrs. Brundage who arrived last Saturday from Amherst, N.S., are spending a week in the district, previous to going to Eymorens, Alta. where they will make their home.

EXCEL ITEMS

It has been proven that one robin does not necessarily mean the coming of spring, but if one man in a fur overcoat on the 30th of August means the advent of fall, then we are in for cold weather.

School opened here yesterday with Mr. T. Swindlehurst teacher in charge.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Gullekson, on August 29, a son.

It seems as though fully half our farmers are going to the Lloydminster district, to open up land. We are sorry to lose any of them as we consider we have the best neighbourhood in the district. However, those who move away may rest assured that we will give them first chance when we hire help to take care of our next year's crop.

Gullekson Brothers are going to move their outfit to Calgary this week.

Miss Lois Stephenson, who has been visiting at Cereul during the last week, returned to her home Sunday.

Mr. J. Barker has been spending the week at the home of Mr. Guy Wilson. They started to dig a pit sile day before yesterday so we don't know if he will stay much longer.

In Lighter Vein

No Profanity, Please

An old man, wearing a ear horn, at near the announcer on a sight-seeing bus in Chicago. As they went under the elevated tracks, the o.m. pointed upward and asked, "What's this bridge, mister?"

"That's the 'L'," the announcer replied.

The o.m. placed the horn to his ear and enquired, "The 'L' you say?"

"Ladies present," warned his informant. "No profanity please."

Am I the only girl you ever kissed?

Yes, darling, yes, responded the young man, and by far the nicest.

My girl wants to go to Niagara for our honeymoon.

Yes! I see right now she has you Buffalo-ed.

Play - In one scene

Cast: Roland She. Scene: On the high sea. A fishing boat on the horizon. He and She are on deck of trans-Atlantic liner.

She: What a quaint boat over there. What do you call it?

He: A Smack. She: I wish I had one. (Business of granting her wishes)

Parents who desire their children to attend school in Oyen, are urged to make arrangements at once. All pupils should be in attendance now so that no portion of the work will be missed. It is anticipated that the school will be filled to capacity this term.

Miss Adela Stewart, who resumed her duties as teacher in charge of Sibbald School, yesterday, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. F.L. Aylesworth.

E. D. Thygesen and J. H. Quinn, left last Saturday by motor for a trip to Unity district.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McLaren, who have been spending a vacation at Pilot Mound, Clearwater and vicinity, Man., returned to Oyen last Monday.

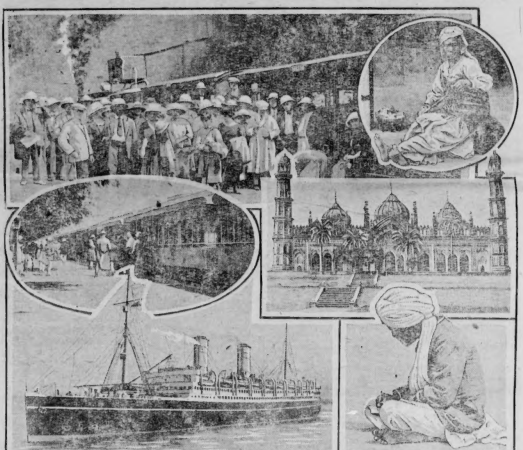
Say you saw it in the News.

Here and There

Although Alberta only became a province eighteen years ago, its population has increased fourfold, while the grain yield has increased twentyfold. The total agricultural products of Alberta in 1923 were worth \$225,000,000.

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PIANOS AND BEDDING AS BAGGAGE



Top left and center inset, Empress of Canada passengers and the train which took them across India this year. Top inset, Panama Canal, Panama, Panama. Other, view of the Canadian Pacific R.R. Empress of France, crossing the Canadian bridge at Victoria in 1913, and of the Java Mail, London. Lower right is a Mohammedan at prayer, Asia East.

The Indian railway gauge is the broadest in the world and a modern first-class compartment is the last word in comfort.

Fans, shaded lights, cooling arrangements, blue glass windows to let down the case the glare is too strong, Venetian blinds to supply an airy twilight, a luxurious bathroom next door, arm-chairs, tables, beds.

Yus, beds. In India, the traveller takes his bedding with him by train. After dinner his servant enters the carriage, makes the bed and lays out the Sahib's pyjamas and slippers.

Unless otherwise ordered, he will await the Sahib's return and help pull up his boots and clothes. Perhaps this is a relic of the old "John Company" days, when the Sahib came back of an expedition carrying more than a dozen cases of brandy; at any rate the old-fashioned servant still expects to unlace his master's boots.

It is, however, unnecessary to do what an servant expects. But to be without a servant in India would be impossible. For a holiday trip each married couple and every two or three bachelors will find it desirable to have an attendant.

A word as to their treatment: Many of these servants are excellent and trustworthy men, but the tourist who is condescending enough to show them any sort of brotherly love will be merely snubbed for his pains, for the relations of master and man here are based almost entirely on commercial time throughout the East.

The average compartment on the Indian railways is nearly twice the size of the American drawing room car. Two couches run along its length on either side, under the windows. At the foot of each there is a door-space and an armchair. Above the couches are two more berths, to be let down at night as occasion requires.

A very large quantity of baggage is carried in every compartment, for many passengers take, in addition to wardrobe trunk, bedding, suitcase, helmet, case, typewriter and all sorts of odds and ends such as hoppers, golf-sticks, fishing rods and tiffin baskets. But there is room for everything and anything (a perambulator is a common sight) and a cotage plan has been taken as personal luggage) on the way.

In the early morning, when the tired sun of India is fading from the sky, the train is lying on the plains, your servant comes with "choha-hairi," the "little breakfast" of the East, consisting of tea and buttered toast.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

ADVERTISE YOUR WANTS in this column. The cost of an ad. is reasonable and ads. in The News get results.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three roomed house for rent on Fourth Avenue, opposite School gate. Terms \$10 a month in advance. Apply: Wm. Affleck.

WANTED

WANTED—A woman to do general house work. Duties to commence October 15. Good wages. Apply to: Mrs. G. S. Peck, Oyen, Alta.

WANTED—One or two good milk cows. No use for acrobats. Full particulars and price to G. S. Peck, phone 1210, Oyen.

LOST

LOST—One string of Bonny beads with wooden inland silver cross. \$1 reward. Return to office of the Oyen News.

LOST—Between Oyen and Sunnyside on Friday evening, August 29, a pocket book containing a small sum of money. The pocket book has owners name on it. Please advise J. Carroll, Sunnyside.